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little situation. Now we go through this all the time where you use a shotgun to kill a rabbit, you know. I guess that is what you are suppose to use to kill a rabbit with, a sparrow, a dove, whatever. You use overkill but why in the world you just couldn't let us check on Senator Savage's amendment for one day gives me some grave concern about what is going on here. What is the big rush? What is the big urgency and Senator Savage has raised some legitimate concerns about what is going on and everyone says, oh no, we can't print that in the Journal. We can't look at that. Let's get this bill passed quick. Just what is the deal. I think we ought to bring it back, hold it here, do something with it or kill it if it is that secretive that we can't explore the legitimate concerns that are raised by a Senator on this floor.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kennedy, and the Chair would urge all of you to avoid repetitious debate from the last previous debate.

SENATOR KENNEDY: Just very brief. We are not rushing it through. It has been bracketed for days and days and weeks. We discussed it many times. I apologize to this body for taking up your time on such a small bill and yet we should at least give our schools the opportunity to continue the things that they have been doing in the past and doing a good job. I will not repeat again. I just hope we pass the bill. It is a simple thing, I feel, and it is not just for one school for one problem, and if we can't trust those people that are doing a good job in educating our youngsters, there is something wrong with us. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marvel.

SENATOR MARVEL: If it is in order, I would like to direct a question, and I am speaking on this motion to bring the bill back and at the moment I am inclined to support it. I would like to ask Senator Kennedy this question. Is this bill just pertaining to personal property. Does it pertain only to buildings that are... buildings that have to do, buildings like student union buildings or is it all kind of buildings under the jurisdiction of these Boards? Can you tell me that?

SENATOR KENNEDY: This is to acquire one lot a year. It is a simple bill and not that they must acquire it, it gives them the privilege of buying one lot a year, the way the bill is written.

SENATOR MARVEL: For any kind of building?

SENATOR KENNEDY: That they may construct a building under class orders which is usually a one or a two bedroom home, which has been done for the past, I can't tell you, how many years.

SENATOR MARVEL: Are you talking about any kind of lots and the reason I ask the question is that we have had a lot of trouble with this kind of a Board out our way of